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Production & Employment Experience

Associate Producer, Indianapolis, IN October 2008

Helped produce a series of short suspense / horror films entitled “Obits” that will be entered into film festivals as well as presented in an online format. Responsibilities included talent auditions, location scouting, special effects, releases, and working with the grip and art department.

Freelance Production Assistant, Indianapolis, IN May 2008 – present

Working in television and commercials for production companies such as MTV, 51 Minds, Authentic Entertainment, Roadside Entertainment, Road Pictures, and GMMB. Television credits include “MTV Cribs”, “Rock of Love 3”, and “G-Word” which airs on Planet Green, a Discovery Network channel. Worked on commercial and long-form spots for clients including Reebok, Hoosier Lottery, Parkview Hospital, St. Vincent Hospital, Indiana Bank and Trust, Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI), Purdue Research Park, and the Barack Obama campaign. Responsibilities have included assistant camera, script notes, prepping locations, gathering props, grip and utility work, escorting crew, talent releases, and location releases.

Internship, Indianapolis, IN January – May 2008

Full-time Intern with Road Pictures, a production company that specializes in commercial and long-form videos for television, big screen, and web. Involved with pre-production through post-production on commercial and long form projects. Responsibilities included but were not limited to: research, music selection, proofreading, scheduling reservations, coordinating crews, building props, operating secondary camera, and making DVD copies.

KSU Equipment Services Lab, Kent, OH August – December 2007

Maintained inventory and serviced rental equipment such as video and still cameras; boom, hand-held, and lapel mics; remote mixers; Lowell and Alien Bee lighting kits.

Documentaries July 2007 – present

Produced, shot, and edited short documentary style videos for Kent State University’s Hillel Community Center, Great Lakes Brewing Company in Cleveland, OH, and VOCAB spoken word event at the Casba Bar in Indianapolis, IN.

TV2, Kent, OH January – December 2007

Student-run television station that broadcasts to Portage County in Northeast Ohio. Held positions including Floor Director, Field Camera Operator, and Studio Camera Operator for live weeknight newscasts for TV2 News. Studio Camera operator for TV2 Sports Corner, a weekly, half-hour, live sports show.

Remote Sports Production, Kent, OH January – December 2007

Covered home games for Kent State University men’s and women’s basketball teams and hockey team. Worked as Floor Camera Operator, Floor Director and Audio for basketball games. Worked as Game Camera and Audio for hockey.

Live Event Staging, Kent, OH September 2005 – April 2006

Set-up and tore down stages for the All Campus Programming Board’s live music events. They put on shows for the University that ranged from small Battle of the Bands contests to large budget, stadium-sized concerts.

Education

Kent State University, Kent, Ohio

B.S. Electronic Media Production, 2008

Cathedral High School, Indianapolis, Indiana

Certification & Training

Certified Television Operator, Society of Broadcast Engineers

Final Cut Pro Adobe Premier

Awards and Activities

TV2 News Best New Tech, Spring 2007

KSU Jazz Ensemble, Trombone, 2003-2007

Daily Kent Stater, Proofreader and News Aide, Spring 2004

International Thespian Society

References

Available upon request